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LOCATION OF CALL: LOOMIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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### **SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:**

D.A.R.E. graduation for two 6<sup>th</sup> grade classes at the Loomis Elementary School will be held on Friday, February 7, 2003, at 9 a.m. in the multi-purpose room. Top honor students include Shahbaj Ghotra and Alicia Ramirez. Top essayist is Cammi Koberlein

Guest speaker at the D.A.R.E. graduation will be Deputy Bob Nield and K-9 Arlo.

Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) is a comprehensive drug and violence prevention education program for children in kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. D.A.R.E. represents a collaborative effort between school and law enforcement personnel with a curriculum designed to equip elementary, middle and high school students with the appropriate skills to resist substance abuse, violence and gangs. Specially trained D.A.R.E. deputies are assigned to teach at every elementary and middle school in the unincorporated areas of Placer County, and each high school is assigned a School Resource Officer

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